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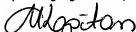
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 24, 2008, having a three-month shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on March 24, 2009. Applicants submit this response within the two-month date of February 24, 2009. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.